American Citizen. His career of glory through life was unstained by crime; and his death was felt as a loss by every individual of that community, whose political existence was the fruit of his exertions.

THE FAREWELL ADDRESS *of General Washington* is the condensed result of long experienced, matured reflection and strong anxiety for the permanent prosperity of his country. His advice concerning the great importance of maintaining indissolubly the federal Union: the danger of indulging too much in party feelings:—the necessity of supporting public credit at home:—of maintaining public faith in all our transactions with foreign nations: of encouraging foreign intercourse free frm foreign attachments:—are so many lessons of prudence which we should do well to bear in constant remembrance. Why therefore should not his legacy of wisdom and affection, be so published, as to admit of being constantly before our eyes? An ornament to our apartments, while it serves as a memento to guide our public feelings, and to manifest that the author lives in our memories?

To make it such, is the aim of the proposed Edition.

The Publishers are determined that the Address shall be printed on paper of the same quality and size as the splendid edition of the Declaration of Independence now engraving, & shall in all respects be a companion worthy that great State paper.

As errors are known from various causes to find their way into the most important writings, the publishers feel it their duty, not only to satisfy themselves, but to satisfy the public, of the authenticity of the copy from which this splendid Edition of the Farewell Address shall be published.

MR. GEORGE BRIDPORT will complete the Design; of which the following is an outline:—The introductory part of the Address, in highly finished ornamental penmanship, shall form the upper part;—the other parts of the plate, shall be appropriate ornaments;—in the centre below shall be engraved, from an historical design for this publication by Mr. *Sully* the Surrender of the British Army at York-town, October 19, 1781.

The Address itself shall be printed with type of a peculiar and appropriate character, designed for this purpose by Mr. Fairman, and to be cut and cast by our best artists. No more of the type shall be cast than will be necessary to execute this Address; & when it shall be compleated, the type and the matrices in which it was cast shall be utterly destroyed; so that no other work shall ever be executed by the same letter which shall have printed the "FAREWELL ADDRESS" of him who lived and died, *first in War; first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.*

The paper, of the first quality, 36 by 26 inches, will be made by Mr. Amies. The INK shall be carefully prepared, and of the best materials.

The signature of General Washington from which it is proposed to execute a fac simile for this publication, is that which he affixed to the Constitution of the United States, when he signed it as President of the Convention in which it was framed; Thus associating and concentrating some of the greatest events in the life of this great man and in the history of his Country.

The ornamental writing will be designed and executed in the very best manner; the ornamental parts of the design and vignette, will be engraved by G. FAIRMAN: and the Typographical part executed by *John Binns.* They will take especial care of the execution of their several duties in this respect, and they will call to their aid, all that liberality, zeal and industry can command from the Sciences and Arts, so as to make the "*Farewell Address*" no mean specimen of the state of the Fine Arts in the United States.

As much progress has already been made in designing and procuring materials for this splended edition of Gen. Washington's "*Farewell Address,*" it is expected it will be ready for delivery, with the Splended Edition of the Declaration of Independence, in the month of December next. That the public may have a more perfect view of the design and style of execution, than can be given in a proposal, of this Tribute to the memory of him who was "a Conqueror for the Freedom of his Country! A "Legislator for its Security! A Magistrate for its Happiness," it is not intended to solicit any Subscsiptions until the Ornamental parts of the plate shall be executed. It will then be submitted for public inspection and public patronage, at five dollars a Copy, payable on the delivery of the Engraving. Philadelphia, July 31.

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Landing.

FROM on board the Norfolk packet and for sale, 12 hhds Antigua Rum

August 20 NEWTON KEENE.

Prunello and Silk Shoes.

JUST received, (direct from France) 23 doz. black, green, buff, cinnamon, white, brown and dove colored silk and prunello shoes, of superior quality; a few dozen glazed shoes.

ALSO,

On hand, an extensive assortment of ladies' and misses' kid, morocco and leather shoes; gentlemen's fine boots, shoes and pumps; common and coarse shoes and pumps; boys' and children's do; first and second quality Baltimore hats; low priced men's and boys' do; water proof plush do.—For sale wholesale and retail by the subscriber at his store, King street. WM. TRUE.

August 3 d1wwfmtf

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3.

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Gisbourne's natural theology
Adams's history of all religions
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper

August 28

For Sale,

BY special appointment, Dr. Dean's genuine

Vegetable Rheumatic Pills:

So celebrated in New-England for the many remarkable cures which they have wrought, some of which are particularized in the papers of directions, where many thousand boxes are used annually to general satisfaction.

These pills are recommended by men of the first characters in the state of Massachusetts. JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

September 24 tf

Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of *John Janney & Co.* is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims, as well as those indebted to the concern, are requested to apply to Thomas V. Huck for settlement.

JOHN JANNEY,
THOMAS V. HUCK.

9th month 15th

The subscriber will continue in business at the stores formerly occupied by John Janney & Co. where he invites a continuance of the favors of the friends of the late firm. 2w THOMAS V. HUCK.

Port-Tobacco Jockey Club Races,

WILL commence on TUESDAY, the 27th of OCTOBER next. The purses to be raised and paid as usual.—They will be respectable; but the precise amount cannot be ascertained.—It is supposed the first day's purse will be 300 dollars; the second, about 200; the third day's race, for a saddle, bridle, and martingale: for saddle horses of the county only. ☞The first day's race, 4 miles and repeat; the second day's race, 2 miles and repeat; the third day's race, 1 mile and repeat:—weights agreeable to the Washington jockey club races, except the saddle horses, and they may carry a feather. Sept. 18 t27O

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES SANDERSON.

August 17 tf

Notice.

ALL persons having unsettled accounts with the late concern of *N. & R. Blacklock*, are hereby requested to bring them to the subscriber for adjustment without delay, as the affairs of that firm must be settled within a limited time; and those indebted will please discharge their accounts as soon as possible, to

ROBERT S. BLACKLOCK,

Who continues the

Grocery Business,

at the same stand, in King-street, and invites the friends of the late firm to call on him for supplies as usual.

September 7 dtf

Stationary.

JUST received and for sale by the subscribers, the following articles of very superior quality—

Black lead pencils
Quills
Penknives
Pocket-books
Mathematical instruments

Copy and cyphering books, record books, and other blank books of every description; with every article in the stationary line.—Orders for blank books executed with elegance and dispatch.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

July 21 tuths

Exchange & Broker's Office,

Georgetown, District of Columbia.

ROMULUS RIGGS,

AT his office, next door below Crawford's tavern, Bridge-st. Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on the most reasonable terms.—All persons who may have notes on the banks of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, would do well to call on him, as he is largely in the purchase of that kind of money, and will take it on the most reasonable terms.—Persons travelling to the Western Country may at all times get the Bank Notes of the Western Banks at a fair discount, by calling at his Office. For the information of all persons throughout the U. States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all of the Banks of the Distrist of Columbia pay their notes on demand in specie; and it would be much to the advantage of the merchants, and trading to the South and west, to encourage the circulation of the Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, as it will at all times answer for remittances to the large commercial and Atlantic towns;—all persons emigrating or travelling to the westward should be very particular and take the Notes of the Banks of the District of Columbia, as they will find them the most current, there being no counterfeits on the District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of Alexandria has long since failed—all persons should be on their guard, as they will be imposed on. August 18

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber about the 4th of August, Negro Woman LOUIZA—she is 25 years old, about 5 feet five inches high, and stout; has some of her front teeth out, and is apt to laugh when spoken to; she has a sister Marinda and a mother living in Georgetown, one above Semmes's tavern, and the other on Herring Hill, where she has been harbored for two weeks, and left there to come home, but has not done so. I expect she can be found in Georgetown or Alexandria, where she has many acquaintances. I will give the above reward if brought home, or lodged in jail so that I get her again.

ROBERT HARPER.

Prince George's co. Maryland,
September 8 dtf

ACADEMY.

THE Subscriber most respectfully informs the inhabitants of Alexandria, that he will open an English, Mercantile, and Mathematical Academy at *Mr. Rudd's*, Prince-street, a few doors west of the Farmers' Bank, where youth shall be instructed with care and expedition in the following sciences, in order to qualify them for the different departments in trade and business, viz. *In the Mercantile, Naval, and Military line.*—Reading; writing; arithmetic;* English-grammar; book-keeping;† geometry, both plane and solid; mensuration of surfaces and solids; trigonometry, both plane and spherical; surveying; gauging; navigation; dialing; use of the globes, maps, and geography; algebra; conic-sections; mechanics; gunnery; fortification; fluxions; astronomy; &c. &c.

Applications to be made to Mr. Guy Atkinson, Mr. Wm. Dunlap, or at the academy, where the terms will be made known.

☞The Academy will open on the 17th inst. JAS. CADEN,

Prof. Math & Nat. Philosophy.

*Arithmetic in so compendious a manner, (by lecture) that one figure does the office of ten in the common way; and of course, in one tenth the time the student can acquire a regular knowledge of this excellent art.

†Book-keeping (by single and double entry) in all its varieties, with general lectures on Domestic, Factorage, and Company Accounts; Accounts of Exchange; Negociation of bills; covering of cargoes, &c. with calculations, shewing at one view the state of the trader, merchant, factor, and grocer's affairs. These being more closely connected with business than any of the above, occasioned the subscriber to point them out to the public. He also invites the learned to visit the academy at their convenience, and judge for themselves. On the first of October he will open an Evening School, for the accommodation of those whose employments prevent from attending during the day. J. C.

September 12

S. & D. Reed,

HAVE just received a fresh supply of SHOES and HATS, consisting of the following kinds:

1000 pair women's leather pumps
400 do do thick soles
300 misses' do do
500 ladies' morocco slips
200 do do with heels
500 do low priced morocco slips
500 children's morocco and leather shoes
500 men's & boys' bound leather shoes
400 men's low priced fur hats
400 do and boys' wool do
100 boys' white do
10 boxes lemons

All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, and at the usual credit to punctual customers.—Country Merchants can be supplied at Northern Prices. August 28

Baltimore Hospital,

24th August, 1818.

THE board of visitors have much pleasure in announcing to the public, that within the last eighteen months, a large and elegant addition has been made to this valuable institution, in the erection of the East wing of the building. This wing is 152 feet in length and 36 in width, with an extensive Southern projection at its extreme East end. It contains between 30 and 40 apartments, admirably calculated for the accommodation of every class of patients. Of this number are several large and airy wards, intended particularly for the reception of seamen, and well adapted to their various diseases. These different rooms and wards will be warmed by open fires, and by heated air thrown into them, from furnaces constructed on a safe and improved plan. Arrangements will also soon be made, for lighting the apartments in the entire building, with gas.

The unwearied exertions of Doctors Mackenzie and Smyth, the attending Physicians of the Hospital, in their attention to the construction of the building, and their care of the sick, have given a character to this Institution, which is now inferior to none in the United States. In the short space of six years, a most noble establishment has been erected—a thing without parallel in this country. It is well known, that above half a century has been consumed, in bringing the Hospitals of New-York and Philadelphia to their present size, and it is admitted by many gentlemen, who have visited these Institutions, that the Hospital here, is by far the most extensive, the whole building being now 360 feet in length.

The daily increase of the sick in the Hospital, renders it absolutely necessary that the new wing should be furnished; and every exertion is now making, to have it completed, before the cold weather shall set in.

The visitors at their late meeting, examined the Institution with much care—the apartments of the sick in the private infirmary—those in the lunatick asylum—and the wards of the sick and disabled seamen in the Marine Hospital—and they assert with confidence, that the sick and afflicted of every description are well accommodated and carefully attended. They have seen at their different meetings, the private patient comfortable; the wretched marine humanely taken care of; and the sailor, disabled by age, wounds and sickness, well provided with suitable medical assistance, and with every other comfort which his condition may require. Indeed the agreeable situation in which this very useful class of men are placed, does much credit, as well to the Director of the Marine Hospital, as to the attending Physicians, to whose immediate care they are entrusted. Every praise too, which the visitors can bestow, is due to Mr. & Mrs. Gatchel, the Stewart and Matron of the Hospital, for the neat and clean manner in which the House is uniformly kept, and for their care and attention to the administration of the internal economy of the establishment.

Before they conclude this account of the Hospital, the visitors would invite the attention of their fellow citizens throughout the United States, to the *Anatomical Cabinet of Wax Preparations*, by *Chiappi*, which certainly far surpasses any thing of the kind ever exhibited in this country; and will afford to those whose curiosity may lead them to see how "fearfully and wonderfully they are made," but more especially to the medical student, a fund of useful information.

The Hospital is under the care of the following medical gentlemen:

Doctors *Colin Mackenzie* } Attending
James Smyth } Physicians.
Dr. *Horatio Gates Jameson*, Atten'g Surg.
Doctors *George Brown*
John Coulter
John Campbell White
Solomon Birkhead
John Cromwell
Peter Chatard
Ashton Alexander
John Owen
William Donaldson } Consulting Physicians.

By order of the Board of Visitors,
JOHN HILLEN, Sec'y.

August 27 Th8w

The Maryland Gazette and Republican, at Annapolis, the Political Examiner, at Fredericktown; the Torch Light, at Hagerstown; the Alleghany Freeman, at Cumberland; the Star and Gazette, at Easton; the National Intelligencer and Gazette, at Washington City; the Alexandria Herald and Gazette; the Richmond Inquirer and Compiler; the Ledger and Beacon, at Norfolk; Petersburg Intelligencer; Raleigh Minerva; Charleston City Gazette; Augusta Chronicle and Savannah Republican, will please publish the above once a week for eight weeks, and forward their accounts to the office of the Baltimore American for collection, positively on or before the first day of March next.

Advertisement.

ABSCONDED from the subscriber's service, on Saturday night the 15th inst. Negro woman TREACE or TREACY—she is five feet two or three inches high, about 30 years of age, of a very dark complexion, and when particularly examined is very apt to confound herself.—It is deemed unnecessary to mention her clothing, as she has all of them with her, and being extremely artful, she no doubt will change them and endeavor to pass for a free woman. She is well acquainted in Charles county, Prince George's, Alexandria and the City, as about 5 years ago she made her escape, and was 6 or 7 months about the Lower Ferry, leading to Alexandria, and from thence to Washington City, where she acquired an extensive acquaintance among the Negroes belonging to John Brent, esq.; and the greater part of said Negroes belong now to William and Rober Brent, esqrs. and Mr. Dudley Diggs. Negro Treace has a scar on the back part of her neck, occasioned by a seaton put for the benefit of her eyes, which are very weak at this time. I will give 10 dollars if taken in the county and secured in jail, or if out of the county and secured as aforesaid, so that I get her again, 25 dollars, and all reasonable charges paid if brought home. All persons are forewarned harboring or employing said Negro at their peril, as the law will be rigorously put in force against any offender.

THOMAS BURGESS.

Charles co. Maryland, near
Port-Tobacco, Aug. 24 d3tTu

Robert Gray,

Next door west of the corner of King & Royal Streets,

HAS just received on consignment, the following BOOKS and STATIONARY ARTICLES, viz:

Volney's Ruins; Thaddeus of Warsaw; Olney Hyms; Faneway's Letters
Murray's Reader, Grammar, Exercises and Key;
Triumphs of Temper;
New York Reader, No. 1, 2, & 3;
Episcopal prayer books
Travels at Home; Cases of Conscience
Chalmer's Discourses
Accidents of Human Life,
Plaicede, a Spanish Tale; Manners, a novel; Balance of Comfort
Letters from the Cape of Good Hope
Bonaparte's Letter to Lord Liverpool
Coxe's Female Scripture Biography
Beauties of Robertson
Harrington and Ormond
Memoirs of Moreau
——— Bernadotte
——— Rachael Baker
Youth's Cabinet
Murray's Grammar, Abridged
Murray's, Webster's Comly's, and N York Spelling Books
New-York Preceptor and Primer
Allison's Sermons, 2 volumes
Tales of Fancy; Poetical Chronology
Clavis Ciceronis; Tacitus
Airs of Palestine; Hubert and Ellen
Valentine's Eve; Readings on Poetry
Lord of the Isles
Sancho, or The Proverbialist
Cowper's Poems; Comic Dramas
Paris Revisited; French War in Spain
Poet's Pilgrimage; Masonic Minstrel
Simpson's Conic Sections
Willish's Lectures
Rambach's Meditations
Sidney on Government
Warren's America; Military Tutor
Family Prayers; American Star
Sanford and Merton; Scott's Lessons
Looking Glass for the Mind
Pocket and school Bibles & Testaments
Jess's Surveying
Johnson's Dictionary, large and small
Child's Monitor; American Nepos
History of England
Addison's Works, 6 vols. boards
Federalist; Clerk's Magazine
Columbian Letter Writer
Introduction to Reading
Episcopal hymns, &c. &c.

Stationary:

Plain and fancy letter, superfine and common cap writing and large brown wrapping paper; band box and bonnet boards; playing cards; ink powder, red and black; black morocco pocket books; wedgewood cork and paper inkholders; lead and slate pencils; superfine English and American drawing paper; Reeves's colors in boxes; German and octave flutes; fifes and clarionets; black sand and sand boxes; wafers; quills; blank checks on the Mechanics' and Farmers' banks; bills of lading; seamen's articles; manifests and powers of attorney; bank books, copy and cyphering books, plain and ruled ledgers journals day books invoices, letter & common account books in full and half binding. Orders for any description of BLANK BOOKS executed at a short notice; and warranted for neatness, strength and durability, equal to any in the district. June 27.

Carpeting.

ON hand at the auction store corner of Prince and Water streets, Holland Rush Carpets, (justly celebrated for their durability)—of different widths and qualities, which may be seen and purchased at any time.

June 18 P. G. MARSTELLER.

New Publications.

JUST Received and for sale by the subscribers,

Capt. Tuckey's Narrative of an Expedition to explore the River Zaire, usually called the Congou, in Southern Africa, in 1816, to which are aded the Journal of Professor Smith, and some general observations on its Inhabitants, published by Permission of the Lords of the admiralty.

The possibility of approaching the North Pole asserted by the Hon. D. Barrington, with an appendix containing Papers on the same Subject, and on a Northwest Passage, by Col. Beaufoy, F. R. S. Illustrated with a Map of the North Pole, according to the latest Discoveries.

Hobhouse's Historical Illustrations of the fourth Canto of Childe Harold, containing Dissertations on the Ruins of Rome, and an Essay on Italian Literature.

Joyce's Dialogues in Chemistry for the amusement and Instruction of young people, 2 vols.

The Brownie of Bodsbeck and other Tales, by James Hogg, Author of Queen's Wake, &c.

Marriage, a novel.

The Batchelor and the Married Man do.

Foliage, a Poem, by Leigh Hunt.

The Fudge Family in Paris.

Zuma, or the Tree of Health, and other Tales, by Mad. de Genlis.

A Help to the profitable Reading of the Holy Scriptures, by the Rev. Edward Bickersteth.

The Testimony of Natural Theology to Christianity, by Dr. Gisborne.

The Life of Mrs. Isabella Graham.
Mrs. Martha Ramsay.
Rev. Dr. Buchanan.
Dr. Watson, Bishop of Landaff.

Ellis's Account of Lord Amherst's Embassy to China.

Rambles in Italy, by an American.

Rob Roy Mc Gregor; or Auld Lang Syne, a Musical Drama.

☞ Every new publication as soon as it can arrive, may be had of

JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

September 9.

French Creek Boarding School.

The following is published for the information of Parents:

HAVING long believed that a School on a plan different from most others in many respects, would be beneficial to society, and apprehending that with all its cares, and the responsibility inseparable from such a concern, I could more cheerfully devote my time to the education of children than to any other business, I have concluded to establish a BOARDING SCHOOL for GIRLS.—With this view I have purchased the FRENCH CREEK FARM, four miles east of the yellow springs, on the Norristown and Philadelphia road, situated in Pikeland and Vincent townships, Chester county, twenty-seven miles from Philadelphia; combining many conveniencies for the support of such an institution; and having let the farm, etc. in a way calculated to supply the family with provisions, I propose to devote my attention, with the aid of suitable assistants, to the education of the children who may be placed under my care.

In selecting the pupils, it is not proposed to be governed entirely by their ages, nor to require that they shall all be members of the religious society of Friends; but as the school rules will be very few in number and very simple, it is my wish that none may be sent contrary to their own inclination, nor any one who would not be likely to be good examples to the other scholars, and treat them with kindness and affection.

The price for board and tuition will be two hundred Dollars per annum, one quarter always to be paid in advance—no restrictions respecting the kind of clothing are intended, nor respecting the frequency of the changes that parents may require; the washing will be charged at the ordinary price per dozen—children may be admitted for one quarter only, and such as are entered for a longer period, may nevertheless be removed at the expiration of any quarter.—The communication with Philadelphia will be frequent and easy by stage, and a house of entertainment kept by the farmer for the accommodation of persons having business at the school.

Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and the use of Maps and globes, will be taught, together with such other branches as the progress of the children and experience may render expedient. The school to open the first of the 5th month next. For further information apply to Edward Stabler, Alexandria, or to

EMMOR KIMBER.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1818.

...the Literary Panorama, July, 1818.

SONG BY LORD BYRON.

...he following song, we are assured by ...respondent, on whose veracity we can ..., is the undoubted production of the ...le Lord—and has only hitherto been ...culated in M. S.

...ill the goblet again! for I never before
...elt the glow that now gladdens my heart
to its score,
...et us drink!—who would not?—since
thro' life's tried round,
In the goblet alone no deception is found.

I have tried in its turn all that life can
supply—
I have bask'd in the beam of a dark ro-
ling eye—
I have loved!—who has not?—but what
heart can declare,
That pleasure existed while passion was
there?

In the days of my youth—when the heart's
in its spring,
And dreams that affection can never take
wing;
I had friends!—who had not?—but what
tongue will avow
That friends, rosy wine, are so faithful as
thou?

The breast of a mistress some boy may es-
trange:
Friendship shifts with the sunbeam—thou
never can'st change—
Thou grow'st old!—who does not?—but
on earth what appears
Whose virtues, like thine, still increase
with its years?

Yet, if blest to the utmost that love can be-
stow,
Should a rival bow down to our idol be-
low,
We are jealous!—who's not?—thou hast
no such alloy,
For the more that enjoy thee—the more
they enjoy.

Then the season of youth and its varieties
past,
For refuge we fly to the goblet at last—
There we find!—do we not?—in the flows
of the soul,
That truth, as of yore, is confined to the
bowl.

When the box of Pandora was opened on
earth,
And Misery's triumph commenced over
Mirth;
Hope was left!—was she not?—but the
goblet we kiss,
And ca e not for *hope* who are certain of
bliss.

Long life to the grape! for when summer
is flown,
The age of our nectar shall gladden our
own—
We must die!—who hall not?—may our
sin be forgiven,s
And Hebe shall never be idle in Heaven.

Curious Hypothesis.

We have spoken of a foolish enterprize of an American who proposes to go to the North Pole in order to discover a great orifice, by which he believes he could penetrate to the centre of the globe, where he imagines he could find habitable lands — There is a German, Mr. Steinhauser, who announces in the Literary Gazette of Halle, a hypothesis of the same kind. To explain the variation of the magnetic needle, he supposes that, in the interior of our globe, at the depth of about 170 miles, there exists another small body which performs round the centre of the earth a revolution from west to east, in a period of 440 years. This small globe, endued with a magnetic attraction, would be the cause of the variation of the magnetic needle. The calculations of Mr. Steinhauser appear to agree exactly with experience; he had predicted in 1805 that the needle would be for a time stationary, and at the present epoch would retrograde towards the east; which has in fact taken place.—He has given to his subterranean planet the name of Pluto. Mariners, according to Mr. Steinhauser, will have no more occasion to observe the celestial bodies, to guide them at sea—it will be sufficient for them to understand the motion of the Pluto, by observation of the magnetic variation.—These ideas, all extravagant as they appear, are not altogether new. Some persons have already, nearly a century since, imagined the hypothesis of a metallic or magnetic kernel in our globe.

[*Paris paper.*

A boy asked Dr. Burgess, the preacher, "if he would have a light?" "No, child" said the Doctor, "I am one of the lights of the world." "I wish then," replied the boy, "you were hung up at the end of our alley, for it is a devellish dark one!"

The late Earl of Guilford being told that his large *gouty shoes* had been stolen,—"Well, well," said his lordship, with his usual pleasantry, "all the harm I wish the thief is, *that the shoes may fit him.*"

ALEXANDRIA:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1818.

Maj. Gen. Gaines passed thro' this place yesterday, on his way to Georgia. The general is immediately from Pensacola, and informs us that the utmost harmony existed among every class of citizens at that place; that so far from murmuring, the Spaniards who remained, found no fault whatever with the authority established by Gen. Jackson, and that an instance had not occurred in which a deviation had taken place from the true intent and meaning of the articles of capitulation entered into and ratified between Gen. Jackson and Don Masot, the late governor of that place.

[*St. Stephens Halcyon.*

We understand that three companies of mounted men, to wit: one under the immediate command of captain William F. Ware, who will have the direction of the whole; one under captain M'Girt, and the third under captain Boyle, consisting of 3 and 400, are ordered to rendezvous at Claiborne in a few days, to scout the country from that place to Fort Jackson, and if possible, destroy a party of out lying Indians who infest the road more for the object of plunder than from a disposition to commit murder. It is pretty well ascertained that the Indians in East Florida are now disposed for peace, and that it only remains to break up the horde which frequent the road between this and Georgia, and which we understand has never attached itself to any party, but continued plundering during the short interval of peace which took place after the late British war, to put a termination to our trouble with the savages in this quarter. [*Ibid.*

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"The operation consists in the working off both forms (or sides) of a (single) sheet at one time, and with one impression, upon papers of double size, viz. double royal, demy, crown, post, foolscap, &c. by the means of a printing press of adequate dimensions; and by the same action, without any increase of labor, time or motion, at the moment the impression is given, it is divided into the usual size of single royal, demy, &c. and this with such undeviated precision of the line parallel to the pages, as no cutting by the most careful hand can ever attain to. The apparatus may be fixed at pleasure to a common royal size press, which may thus, upon the same principle, be made to work (and cut) double foolscap: the divisions may be carried still further for cutting into three, four, six, eight, &c. parts.

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From the National Intelligencer.

AMERICAN COLONIZATION SOCIETY.

Messrs. Gales & Seaton,

I send you, for publication, an extract of a letter from the Rev. Ebenezer Burgess, the surviving agent of the American Colonization Society for exploring the west coast of Africa. It communicates the afflictive intelligence of the death of his colleague, the Rev. Sam. J. Mills. Mr. Mills was a native of New-England, and had devoted a number of years in promoting the objects of the benevolent and christian societies in our country. He had spent his life in their service, and had nearly exhausted a small patrimony which he possessed. A biographical sketch of Mr. Mills, by a competent hand, would not only be gratifying to his numerous friends, but seems peculiarly called for, from his distinguished zeal, his active benevolence, and the extensive usefulness of his short life.—I hope it will be furnished by some of his friends. The foundation of the disease which terminated his life, was laid some time before he left his country. The suspension of his complaint, whilst in Africa, so as to enable him to perform the arduous duties of his situation, gives a favorable view of the climate of that country, more especially as Mr. Mills, being a northern man, would be more liable to be affected by a tropical climate. The information derived from the commissioners of the Society, fully justify the expectation of its friends, that a situation can be procured for the proposed colony, safe, healthful, and fertile. There wants only the fostering aid of the government to carry the plans of the Society into full operation. It is hoped that the attention of a liberal and enlightened people will now be awakened; and that Congress will take a decided part and warm interest in support of the plans of the Society. The people are ready to support the government in any measure which may be adopted for that purpose. The people of color are daily becoming more favorable, as they begin to understand the subject, and offers of co-operation and support on their part, are frequently received from various parts of the country. A sufficient number have already offered their services to ensure the commencement of a respectable colony, whenever the necessary preparations are made for the first establishment.

Mr. Burgess arrived in London on the 25th of July, and may be daily expected in this country. I am, yours, &c.

Extract of a letter from the Rev. Ebenezer Burgess, one of the agents of the American Colonization Society, dated, "Brig Success, from Sierra Leone to London, English Channel, 16th July, 1818.

We were received with all civility in Sierra Leone. Gov. Macarthy was unfortunately absent on a visit to the Gambia; but the commandant, captain Appleton, the honorable chief justice Fitzgerald, and other gentlemen, by their kind attentions, supplied the loss. Our embassy gave great joy to many of the African colonists. We examined the schools and the public edifices, and some of the colonial towns. As might be expected, I was very happily disappointed in some things, and painfully in others. There surely has been rapid improvements in some respects, within a few years, and the present prospects of the colony are good. "Rome was not built in a day."

Once more we spread our maps before us, and with all our stock of African knowledge, to which I am happy to assure you that books, conversation or reflection, had added something every day since our departure from America, together with the advice and observation of gentlemen who had traded on many parts of the coast, we drew conclusions and made our arrangements.

There are few bays on the Gold coast.—At the European forts and trading stations, ships usually anchor off in the roads, a few leagues from the shore. All goods are landed in boats and African canoes, which are often overset in the surf—ships, however, seldom sustain injury, because there are no strong winds except the tornadoes, which continue only a few hours, and always give seasonable warning of their approach.

Even for a settlement purely agricultural, it seems indispensable to have a river, harbour, or bay, in the vicinity, where necessary supplies may be brought, and surplus produce exported.

In eight days after we reached Sierra Leone, having made the best arrangements which circumstances would allow, we were in readiness for an excursion down the coast of the country of Sherbro. We took with us Messrs. John Kizell and William Martin, as interpreters, besides the pilot, captain and men of the little schooner in which we sailed. We called on Mr. Thomas Calker, head man of the Berrara Islands, who embraced our objects with such cordiality, that he commissioned two of his chief men to go with us and speak his mind in the councils of the Sherbro. We next called on his nephew, George Calker, head man of the Plantain Islands. We then proceeded to Sherbro and held consultations with the kings and head men of the conutry. We were always treated with civility and kindness: we made general surveys of the bay, islands, rivers, adjacent country, taking specimens of the rice, cotton, sugar cane, &c. with the entire approbation of Kings and head men, notwithstanding temporary apprehensions. These children of nature have had intercourse only with the worst class of white men, and have learned to distrust any profession of humanity or benevolence. I have only to say at present, that, if the free people of colour of the United States, are disposed to remove to Sherbro, there are great tracts of uncultivated land which may be purchased at a moderate price, and that if they behave well, they may live there with the most perfect safety.

We were engaged on this excursion about six weeks. After our return to Sierra Leone, we finished our enquiries in that colony, and became satisfied that there was no sufficient reason for our wasting the rainy months on the coast, and that we could do more with advantage to promote the objects of the American Society: we should have been happy to have sailed directly to the United States, but, as there was no American ship in the vicinity, we improved the only opportunity which offered, and took passage for England in the brig Success: we did not regret this circumstance greatly, as there appeared to be some definite reasons for visiting England.

When taking our last views of the African continent, which, for the sake of others, we had so earnestly desired to see, we rendered thanks to God, and expressed our congratulations to each other, that the principal labours and dangers of our embassy were now past. The nature of the climate, and the unknown circumstances in which we might be placed, were subjects of mature reflection before we left our country. Our minds were prepared to meet dangers, and endure trials, which, through divine goodness, never occurred. Our prospect appeared fair to return to our country, and see the face of our friends in peace.

But the period of that event now approaches "respecting which neither my duties to you, nor the sensibilities of my heart, will allow me to say with coldness, it has happened so." Our embassy, however humane in its designs, however successful in its execution, and however extensive or beneficial in its future consequences, is now obscured with the veil of mourning—it will occasion sorrow where there might have been joy, and I fear discouragement and despondence, where there should be activity and perseverance—all is right.

The health of my colleague before he left the U. S. was slender—having a stricture on the lungs, and a dangerous cough. In England, it being winter he complained much of the humidity of the atmosphere. On the atlantic, and during the whole time of our residence on the African coast, he enjoyed perfect health, and was active in business every day.

With great respect, dear sir, your obedient servant, E. BURGESS.

Elias B. Caldwell, Esq. Secretary of the American Colinization Society."

ANECDOTE OF GENERAL PUTNAM.

During the late war, when gen. Amherst was marching across the Country of Canada, the army coming to one of the Lakes, which they were obliged to pass, found the French had a vessel of 12 guns on it—Gen. Amherst was in great distress; his boats were no match for her, and she alone was capable of sinking his whole army if embarked. While the General was pondering what to do, Putnam came up to him, and said: "That ship must be taken." Aye, said Amherst, I would give the world she was. I'll secure her, says Putnam. Amherst smiled and asked how? Give me some wedges and a few men of my own choice. Amherst could not conceive how an armed vessel was to be conquered by 4 or 5 men, and a few wedges. However he granted Putnam's request. When night came, Putnam with his materials and men went in a boat under the vessel's stern, and in an instant put in the wedges behind the rudder, in the cavity between the rudder and hip, and escaped. In the morning, she got under weigh, the rudder could not be moved; much confusion was observed on board; the sails were seen fluttering; she was adrift in the Lake, and being presently blown ashore was easily captured.

Alex'a. Common Council.

SEPTEMBER 30, 1818.

The petition of Robert Young was referred to the auditor to report on the subject to the next council.

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Resolved, That Messrs. Vowell, Newton and Smith, in conjunction with the mayor, be a committee to advertise and rent at public auction the public property in the southern district, on Thursday the 8th of October next, for the term of five years.

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20 puncheons West India Rum
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600 reams writing paper
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350 boxes mould and dipt candles, first
15,000 lbs hard soap [qualities
20 bls rosin—with wines, liquors and groceries as usual Sept 21

Antigua & Grenada Spirits.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-street. N. REILLY.
September 30 tf

Walking Canes, &c.

DANIEL PIERCE has just received an elegant assortment of
Sword and other Walking Canes:
Likewise on hand,
And constantly for sale, a good and general assortment of
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☞ N. B. Umbrellas, Parasols & Trunks repaired. October 1

Carpetings, Flannels, &c.

ROBERT McCREA & Co. have just received from Britain, via New-York, a large and elegant assortment of common, fine and superfine ingrained

Carpetings,

in texture, patterns and colours equal to any of their former importations; 4-4 black and green crumb cloth; white and red

Flannels,

of every quality; three point blankets; flushings; an assortment of Scotch

Muslins,

consisting of plain, book and mull muslins; sprigged do; very fine plain and sprigged lenoes; book, mull and corded handkerchiefs, &c. &c.; a bale of linen bed ticks, containing an assortment.

They have also lately received canton crapes; cassimere shawls; imitation merino do; furniture chintz; bombazettes; burlaps; droghedas; domestic cottons—which with a very general assortment of goods in their line, are offered for sale on the most moderate terms.

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For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald,
THE CONFESSION OF
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alias Joseph Thompson Hare,
ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS,

Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Havre-de-Grace, on the night of the 11th March last past; containing

A HISTORY OF HIS LIFE,

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WRITTEN BY HIMSELF,
September 29

District of Columbia

County of Alexandria, ss.

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By order of the hon. Wm. Cranch, chief Judge of the U. States Circuit Court for the District of Columbia.

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OFFER FOR SALE,

90 hhds } Barbados and Trinidad mo-
20 bls } lasses
400 bags green and St Domingo coffee
45 hhds } 1st and 2d quality sugars
75 bls }
20 puncheons West India Rum
80 hhds & 40 bls northern do
100 chests and boxes superior gunpowder, imperial and young hyson teas, chiefly Sidney's and Stag's cargoes
600 reams writing paper
400 do wrapping do
350 boxes mould and dipt candles, first [qualities
15,000 lbs hard soap
20 bls rosin—with wines, liquors and groceries as usual

Sept 21

Antigua & Grenada Spirits.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-street. N. REILLY.

September 30 tf

Walking Canes, &c.

DANIEL PIERCE has just received an elegant assortment of

Sword and other Walking Canes:

Likewise on hand,

And constantly for sale, a good and general assortment of

Umbrellas, Parasols & Trunks.

☞ N. B. Umbrellas, Parasols & Trunks repaired. October 1

Carpetings, Flannels, &c.

ROBERT McCREA & Co. have just received from Britain, via New-York, a large and elegant assortment of common, fine and superfine ingrained

Carpetings,

in texture, patterns and colours equal to any of their former importations; 4-4 black and green crumb cloth; white and red

Flannels,

of every quality; three point blankets; flushings; an assortment of Scotch

Muslins,

consisting of plain, book and mull muslins; sprigged do; very fine plain and sprigged lenoes; book, mull and corded handkerchiefs, &c. &c.; a bale of linen bed ticks, containing an assortment.

They have also lately received canton crapes; cassimere shawls; imitation merino do; furniture chintz; bombazettes; burlaps; droghedas; domestic cottons—which with a very general assortment of goods in their line, are offered for sale on the most moderate terms.

October 1 thstu6t

For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald,

THE CONFESSION OF

JOSEPH HARE,

alias Joseph Thompson Hare,

ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS,

Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Havre-de-Grace, on the night of the 11th March last past; containing

A HISTORY OF HIS LIFE,

And detailing a series of robberies for the last 14 years, in the states of Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New-Jersey, and in Canada and the Spanish provinces, to the amount of nearly ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS!

WRITTEN BY HIMSELF,

September 29

District of Columbia

County of Alexandria, ss.

ON the petition of JILSON DOVE, an insolvent debtor, confined in the jail of Alexandria county for debt—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said JILSON DOVE, that on the first Monday in October next, at the court house of said county, the oath prescribed by the act of Congress of the United States, entitled "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors within the District of Columbia," will be administered to the said insolvent, and a trustee appointed, unless sufficient cause to the contrary be then and there shewn.—Ordered, that this notice be advertised in both papers published in Alexandria, three times a week for two weeks before the said first Monday in October next.

By order of the hon. Wm. Cranch, chief Judge of the U. States Circuit Court for the District of Columbia.

E. I. LEE, C. C.

September 15 wfm2w

For Freight Coastwise,

The substantial and fast sailing schooner RESOLUTION, Ephraim Ellis, master, burthen 900 barrels; will be ready to receive a cargo in 3 days. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND,

Who has for sale on board said vessel

115 tons plaster paris; 24 barrels beef
20 boxes 8 by 10 window glass
10 barrels tanners's oil

October 2 fmw3t

For Freight,

The brig PANOPEA, Eleazer Crabtree master, burthen 1000 bbls—is a first rate vessel, and will be ready for the reception of a cargo in a few days. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.

who have for sale said brig's cargo of St. Ubes salt of 7000 bushels.

Also for Freight,

The ship WILHELMINA, John Baxter, master, burthen 500 hhds. or 4000 barrels, a substantial vessel and will be ready to receive a cargo in ten days. Apply as above.

Also for Freight,

(Coastwise)

The schr. ADVEHO, capt. Pendleton, an excellent vessel, carries about 800 bbls. and will be ready to receive a cargo next week. Apply as above.

October 2

For Freight,

To a port in the West-Indies or south of Europe,

The firm new brig PLANTER, capt. Bly, burthen 1000 bls. Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.

Who has for sale, on board said vessel, 130 tons plaster.

9th mo 30 fm3t

For Freight,

To the West Indies or Coastwise,

The substantial and very fast sailing schooner ROSE-IN-BLOOM, David Howland, master, burthen 750 bbls now ready for the reception of a cargo.—Apply to THOMAS H. HOWLAND.

9 mo. 30th wfm3t

For Boston and Portland,

The substantial and fast sailing schooner PLANET, E. Dyer master, will be raedy for the reception of freight in a few days. Apply to A. ADAMS, Central wharf,

Who offers for sale said schooner's cargo, consisting of

140 tons plaster
50 boxes Digby herrings
18 barrels tanners' oil

September 29

For New-Orleans,

The good brig AGENT, B H Davison, Master, will sail positively within twenty-one or two days: for freight of 800 barrels, or passage, apply to the master on board. B. H. DAVISON.

September 21

For Boston,

The brig ECONOMY, James Cleavland, master, burthen 1000 bbls. She is an excellent and fast sailing vessel, and will be ready to load in four days. For freight of 500 bbls apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.

Who have for sale the brig's cargo of 3000 bushels Isle of May salt and 150 goat skins Sept 18 2w

N. E. Rum, Tanner's Oil, &c.

EIGHTEEN hhds 3 tierces and 87 bbls N. E. rum

30 bbls tanner's oil
90 mackerel
100 menhaden
350 bushels potatoes
6000 lbs Conn. cheese in boxes and casks
25 casks cut nails assorted sizes—now landing and for sale by

JOHN H. LADD & CO.

For Newport,

The sloop MORNING-STAR, Joseph Dennis master, having part of her cargo provided. For freight of 200 bbls or passage apply as above.

October 1

Liverpool Salt and Coals.

THE cargo of brig Nancy & Mary, J. Barnecoat master, from Liverpool,

4500 bushels coarse salt
300 do coal

ALSO,

The cargo of the ship Maria, Wm. Morrell master, of

3000 bushels } coarse Liverpool salt
500 sacks }
4500 bushels Cannel and Orrell coal

For Sale or Freight,

The brig NANCY & MARY, captain Barnecoat, burthen about 2700 barrels, a good vessel, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days.

Also for Freight,

The ship MARIA, Wm. Morrell master, burthen 3600 barrels or 500 hogsheads tobacco, in complete order for any voyage.

Also for Freight.

The brig VISITER, captain Thomas, burthen about 2500 bbls nearly a new vessel, and can be immediately ready for a cargo. Apply to

Sept 1 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Tobacco and Segars.

JUST received and for sale, first quality

Chewing Tobacco,

AND

Fine flavored Spanish Segars.

Sept 29 WM DEVAUGHN.

Feathers, Shot, &c.

EIGHT hundred lb. live Tennessee fea- [thers
3 tons patent shot
37 chests superior young hyson tea, mostly Unicorn's cargo.
12 casks 1st quality Goshen cheese
20 boxes chocolate
100 lbs cloves
10 kegs ground ginger
2 tierces rice

Just received and for sale by

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

September 30 tf

To Hire,

A Mulatto woman—a good washer and ironer, and accustomed to house work. Apply to the printer. 3t Oct 1

A Nurse Wanted.

LIBERAL wages will be given to a young woman, either black or white, who understands the nursing of children, and can come well recommended—to reside a few months a short distance from Alexandria. Application must be made to the Printer, who will refer them to the advertiser. Sept. 29.

Straw Bonnets.

FIVE cases of straw bonnets of the latest fashions and very large, just received and for sale by A. ADAMS,

September 29 6t Central wharf.

Selling off Cheap.

THE subscriber offers for sale, at his store, on Fairfax street, next door to Dr. Edward Stabler, a great variety of

Dry Goods,

all of which he is determined to sell at the most *reduced prices* for cash or good paper.

SAM'L. MARK.

October 1 d2w

Jamaica Rum, Candles, &c.

A FEW puncheons 4th proof Jamaica rum

60 boxes mould candles } from Hyde's
50 fancy soap } manufactory

Just received and for sale by

SAMUEL MESSERSMITH.

October 1 3t

Piano Fortes.

TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes, with the additional keys, for sale by

JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

September 9

New Cheese.

TWO thousand lbs. good Connecticut cheese in small casks. For sale by

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

September 1

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat; for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.

9th mo 16 tf

Timothy Seed.

WE have just received and for sale, 60 bushels fresh timothy seed

Sept 21 BRYAN HAMPSON & Co

John Jackson & Co.

OFFER FOR SALE,

34 hhds and 14 casks N E Rum
7 pipes } L P madeira wine
3 hhds }
50 cases choice Burgundy, Hermitage Sauternac, Chateau grille & madeira wines
2 pipes and 15 bls Scheidam gin
16 sacks filberts [sides
9 marble mantles, with hearths and
3 cases bill and letter paper
10 cases French beaver hats
3 very elegant clocks
5 cases perfumery, mercery, &c
1 watches, various kinds
20 kegs lb twist tobacco, very superior quality, &c &c

2w Sept 25

Lindsay & Hill

HAVE FOR SALE,

30 hhds first quality Barbados sugar
9 hhds and 26 bls second quality do
40,000 lbs coffee
15 hds Jamaica rum; 10 do N E do
20 do Antigua do
6 bags pimento; 5 hhds loaf sugar
50 kegs ground ginger
Imperial and young hyson tea
5 hhds and 40 bls old rye whiskey
7 pipes gin
8,000 bushels ground alum salt
200 bls shad, put up particularly for family use

Sept 28

C. Bennett

HAS imported in the ship Potomac, and offers for sale wholesale or retail,

An assortment of towelling diaper
8-4 and 10-4 diapers and damask
10-16 elegant damask table cloths.

He has on hand from the present and former importatations,

Sheppard's and Lewis's superfine Saxon and Spanish cloths and kerseymeres
Superfine double milled and common drab cloths
Yorkshire cloths, plains and coatings
Rose, point and duffil blankets
London and Yorkshire waistcoating
Blue silk twist, in balls, 1st quality
Ingrain and Venitian carpeting
Men's beaver and Woodstock gloves
Cambrics and jaconette cambrics
Corded dimities; black bombazeenes
Ladies' and misses' cotton hose
Common plate calicoes and shawls [lity
Gilt and metal buttons; pins 1st & 2d qua-
White-Chapel Needles in boxes of 20M
Irish linens and long lawns
5-4 Irish sheetings, strong for family use
Irish and English shirting cottons
Waldron's cradling scythes
Best Bridport SEINE TWINE.

October 1 d3t&mwf1w&M5w

Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a complete assortment in FUTURE.

Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of ROBERTS & ALLEN, was dissolved on the 6th instant, by mutual consent. All persons having claims, as well as those indebted to the copartnership, are requested to apply to JOHN ROBERTS for settlement.

JOHN ROBERTS,
DAVID H. ALLEN.

☞ The Grocery, Flour and Commission Business, will be continued by the subscriber, at the usual place.

JOHN ROBERTS.

September 28 d1w&T3w

Fall Goods.

JOSEPH JANNEY has imported by the ship America, lately arrived from England, a general assortment of

Fall Goods,

which are for sale on favorable terms.

9th mo 24 wstf

L. Masterson,

BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER,

RETURNS his grateful thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received in his line of business, and hopes they will continue it. He has on hand a good assortment of the best Philadelphia leather, which he intends manufacturing in the best manner: for neatness and durability it will be excelled by none. He has on hand a good assortment of

Boots, Bootees and Shoes,

which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers at the usual credit, at his old stand opposite the Gazette office, Royal-street.

N. B. Two boys of good disposition would be taken as apprentices to the above business. Those from the country would be preferred. August 24

Thomas Janney & Co.

HAVE received per ships America and Potomac, from Liverpool,

Superfine, second and coarse cloths
Cassimeres; pelisse cloths; baizes
Double milled drabs; flannels
Rose, stripe and point blankets
Worsted and cotton hosiery; flushings
Vestings, assorted; bombazetts, &c. &c.

For sale by the piece or package.

October 1 4t

The Winchester Gazette will insert the above four times.

Charles Slade

HAS just received by the ships Boston, New-Jersey and America, from Liverpool; a part of his fall importation of

Hardware:

The residue is daily expected by the Potomac. He has also just received a further supply of ***Bar Iron.***

On hand—cut nails and brads; wrought do and spikes; hoop and sheet iron; nail rods; Crowley, German, cast, [L] blistered, American do, and other kinds of steel; waggon boxes; chain traces; sheet lead; anvils; vises; frying pans; shovels; spades; wool and cotton cards, &c &c &c

LIKEWISE,

Box, ten plate, Franklin (to burn wood or coal) and cooking stoves, complete, at the Baltimore prices

September 21 mwf2w

Prime Chewing Tobacco.

150 KEGS 8's, 10's, 12's and lb. twists, very superior quality, manufactured by David Barclay, esq. Richmond, and warranted—just received per sch'n'r Dolphin, capt Reynolds, for sale by

JOHN JACKSON & Co. Agents.

September 28 mwf3w

New Publications, &c. &c.

Just received and for sale by the subscribers,

TALES of my Landlord, 2 vols. 2nd series
New Tales, by Mrs. Opie, 2 vols
Capt. Hall's Account of a voyage of Discovery to the West Coast of Corea, and the Great Loo-Choo Island, with a chart
Bonnycastle's Algebra
Gummerie's Surveying
Columbian Orator

JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

September 28 mwftf

Salt, Rum, &c.

450 SACKS Liverpool ground alum salt
1500 bushels do do do do
100 sacks do fine do do
80 puncheons 3d pf. fine flavored West India Rum [sugars
80 hhds 1st and 2d quality muscovado
300 bags prime green coffee
500 reams wrapping paper
600 lbs Spanish flotant and Bengal indigo
5 pipes pure Holland gin
20 quarter casks sweet Malaga wine
40 casks London refined salt petre
4 bbls North Carolina honey
600 lbs do beeswax

Gunpowder, imperial, young hyson and hyson teas; old Jamaica spirits and cognac brandy; old port and Madeira wine

Ground and race ginger; pepper; alum Pimento; nutmegs; cloves; copperas

Best flour for family use—with a general assortment of GROCERIES—all of which are offered for sale on moderate terms, by

BRYAN HAMPSON & Co.

September 8 3m

Weavers' Slays or Reeds.

THE subscriber has for sale, 6,000 dollars worth of the first quality weavers' slays, which he will sell on moderate terms—they are assorted in boxes of 100 dolls. each—calculated for woollen, linsey, cotton and linen; all made for country weavers, 4-4 and 5-4 wide. By the box they will be sold low.

THOMAS GRIMSHAW.

September 18 6w

Public Sale.

IN pursuance of a decree of the circuit court for the county of Alexandria, will be sold at auction on the thirtieth day of this month (October) on the premises for cash, that house and lot of ground on king-street, formerly the residence of Wm. Newton, deceased, and now occupied by Francis Adams.

A. NEWTON, } Commis-
THOS. SWANN. } sioners.

October 1 t030

Public Sale.

ON Wednesday, the 7th day of October next, I will offer for sale at Port-Tobacco, if not previously disposed of at private sale,

Woodbery's Hope,

lying on Potomac River, containing about 360 acres, having wood enough on it to pay for it. The soil is of an excellent quality Terms made known on the day of sale.

T. H. REEDER

Charles co. Md August 5 wfmt7O

Cheese.

WE have just received and offer for sale 40 casks first quality Goshen cheese. BRYAN HAMPSON & Co.

We wish to purchase FLAXSEED for cash.

September 30 3t

C. Bennett

HAS imported from London and Liverpool, and offers for sale,

Superfine cloths and cassimeres, extra imperial Saxony's and Spanish
Bombazets and bombazeens
Scotch plaids; corded dimities
London Swansdowns and toilanettes
Furniture calicoes; mustard
Cheshire, double gloster, dolphin and pine apple cheese
Yorkshire cloths and plains
Flannels, milled and single
Superfine ingrain carpeting, of superior quality and pattern.
Best Bridport shad and herring twine
Shoe thread and book-binder's thread
Rose, duffil and point blankets
Irish linens; sheetings and long lawns
Cambrick and jaconett muslins
Marseilles quiltings; a few setts stag handle knives and forks, with dessert and carvers to match; Whitechapel needles in boxes sorted 1 to 11

September 5 d1w&ws8w

Just Landing,

FROM brig Susan, from Portland, and for sale at the cabinet warehouse, lower end of Prince-street,

Carrioles, Waggons, &c.

together with Furniture and Chairs, viz.:

3 top carrioles, with plated harness
14 Jersey waggons, with harness
Bureaus; tables; sideboards
Dressing glasses; bedsteads; chairs
Trunks; bridles; easy chairs
Bolts of duck; shoes and hats
A few barrels No 1 mackerel

IN STORE,

A general assortment of goods in his line—*comprising the best variety in the district of Columbia*: all of which will be sold low.

ON HAND,

Mahogany, in logs and boards.

☞ Furniture, &c. made and repaired as usual. SAMUEL WARD.

To Rent,

The store-house lately occupied by the subscriber, in Prince-street, one door west of Union-street. Immediate possession will be given.

September 18 S. WARD.

Notice.

☞ I HAVE removed my residence from Alexandria to Stafford county, Va. and shall hereafter attend the Inferior and Superior Courts of Stafford and Prince William counties, and the Superior Court of Chancery at Fredericksburg. My unfinished business in the Circuit Court for the county of Alexandria is left in the hands of *WILLIAM HERBERT, Jr.* who will attend to its completion, and to whom those interested will please apply. Letters addressed to me must be directed to Aquia Post-office, Stafford county, Virginia.

Sept 28 1m J. D. SIMMS.

Prince-street Academy,

A few doors west of the Farmers' Bank.

THE subscriber most respectfully informs the inhabitants of Alexandria, that his Academy is now open for the reception of the respectable youth of the city.

His evening instructions will commence on Monday the 28th inst. Young men who wish to avail themselves of the opportunity would do well to apply immediately, as the number will be limited. None except persons of moral character and respectability need apply. In this Academy youth shall be expeditiously taught all the varieties pertaining to an English education, the various branches of measuring; prepared for the Counting house, Navy, &c. The public in general, but particularly Parents and Guardians, are invited to visit this institution, observe the order, and manner of instruction, and judge for themselves. Application to be made to the Professor at the Academy, where the terms will be made known. JAMES CADEN,

Prof. Math. & Natural Philosophy.

September 24 tf

Notice.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Honorable Court of Charles County as a Court of Equity, I shall expose to public sale at Port-Tobacco, Charles county, Maryland, on Wednesday the 7th day of October next, all the real estate of which General John Mitchell died seized, lying in Durham parish in said county, consisting of two tracts of land adjoining each other, called Holly-spring Resurveyed and Meek's Park, containing about 750 acres. This estate is situated contiguous to that of Colonel John Tayloe's, near Maryland Point, and within two miles of the river Potomac, is considered one of the most healthy in that neighborhood, lies level, and the soil (a part of which is already strong), is thought to be susceptible of speedy improvement by the use of clover and plaister of paris. On this estate is a very considerable body of wood and timber, which if converted into money would probably pay the purchase money.

The improvements are a two story dwelling with two rooms and a passage on each floor, and a cellar under the whole, kitchen, Negro quarters, barn, and corn house, and an orchard of some of the choicest fruits.—A more particular description of it is deemed unnecessary, as it is presumable that those inclined to purchase will view the premises previous to the day of sale. It will be sold either entire or in parcels for the accommodation of purchasers.—The purchaser or purchasers will be required to enter into bond, with approved security for the payment of the purchase money in one, two and three years, with interest, payable annually from the day of sale; and on the ratification of the sale by the Court, and the payment of the purchase money, and not before, a deed or deeds in due form will be made, conveying all the estate, right, title, interest and claim, to the premises that the said John Mitchell, deceased, held in the same, which title is indisputable.

JOHN BARNES, Trustee.

September 7 dts

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the Warehouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately required. For terms apply to

WM. HERBERT, jr.

August 25 tf

Public Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to the subscriber, will be sold on Thursday, 22d October, on the premises, a house and lot on the east side of Washington-street, adjoining the Baptist church; the same property is subject to a rentcharge of D250 per annum, to be redeemed at 10 years purchase. Terms of sale, cash. W. HERBERT, Jr. Trustee

September 30 1220

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.

Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

☞ All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

September 28 dtf

To Rent,

The brick warehouse at the corner of King & Union streets, lately occupied by Tucker & Wheelwright. For particulars inquire of

EBEN'R WHEELWRIGHT, or JOHN H. LADD & Co.

September 16 dtf

Land for Sale.

I WILL sell from 150 to 300 acres of land, part of the farm on which I live.—On said land there is a log house with two rooms on a floor, a meat house, with several other small buildings, an excellent apple orchard, peaches, pears, quinces, damsons, &c. DANIEL DULANY.

August 24

Lexington at Public Sale.

On THURSDAY, October 15,

If fair, if not, the next fair day, will be offered at public sale, on the premises,

Lexington.

THIS estate, containing two thousand three hundred and fifty acres, more or less, being one half of the well known tract of land commonly called "Mason's Neck," situated on the Potomac, in the county of Fairfax, Virginia, is now offered for sale. About two-thirds of it is covered with an uncommon heavy growth of white and bl'k oak, hickory, pine, poplar, &c. near the water's edge, whence it may be transported to the markets of the district of Columbia, (a distance of 20 miles only) where timber and fuel are always in demand, and without the expense and risk encountered in conveying those articles from situations further down the river: the remainder is in cultivation, and furnished with every necessary building for that purpose; together with orchards and a blacksmith's shop. The other improvements are a spacious and elegant dwelling-house, kitchen, dairy, smoke-house, office, ice-house, a well of excellent water, and a falling garden of the most tasteful and costly design, filled with the rarest and most beautiful shrubberies and flowers, exotic and indigenous, all situated on an eminence, commanding a view of the rest of the tract, which extends in an unintercepted plain from the foot of the eminence to the Potomac and Occoquan, by which it is so far bounded as to render the expense of enclosing it comparatively nothing. The prospect, moreover, of the surrounding country, diversified in every direction by sheets of water, is [illegible] beautiful beyond description. There [illegible] likewise attached to this estate four valuable

Shad & Herring Fisheries:

however, the subscriber intends to reserve one of them and a few acres of land. The woods abound with deer in such numbers, that with a little care a gentleman might command a constant supply of venison for his table; and besides the large streams abovementioned, the various creeks and inlets that every where intersect the land are covered in the proper season with wild fowl of every description known in our waters. When to all these advantages is added the great natural fertility of the land, which is not exceeded perhaps in the western country, its adaption to improvement by the use of plaster, which has been proved by experiment, its vicinity to society, to market, to two manufacturing grist-mills, to which the distance of conveyance by land and water is not more than 5 or 6 miles, it may with truth be pronounced the most valuable estate, of the same extent, in the whole range of country watered by the Potomac. It will be sold entire or divided to suit purchasers.

The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money in hand, the remaining 2-3ds in two equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale, secured by a deed of trust on the land—which will be shewn in my absence to any person disposed to purchase, by Mr. *William Allison* or Mr. *Weston*, residing on the premises.

August 31 WILLIAM MASON.

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

September 1, 1818

THE stockholders of this institution are hereby notified, that a dividend of 3½ per cent is this day declared for the last half year, on the Capital Stock paid in, payable to them or their legal representatives, on Friday the 11th inst.

By order of the Board.

P. H. MINOR, Cash'r.

September 1

Seine Twine.

THE subscriber has received a consignment of first quality Bridport seine twine, which he will sell on accommodating terms. GEORGE COLEMAN.

September 29 3t

For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale the large Brick Building lately occupied by him in the town of Alexandria, together with most of the essential articles of Furniture attached to it. The whole will be sold on the most reasonable terms.—He also offers for sale, an excellent Philadelphia built carriage, and a pair of well broke horses. W. H FITZHUGH.

Ravensworth, June 25—d1wThtf

Houses to Rent.

The house on Water-st. the late residence of Mr. Lee—and a house on Alfred-st. near Cameron, formerly Mr. Troop's, a good and genteel house for a small family, are now for rent. A. HOLBROOK.

September 3 thmtf

Clermont for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale this well known and valuable estate, in the vicinity of Alexandria, being distant not more than three miles, commanding a view of the town and of the valley through which the Cameron creek meanders. The domain consists of 360 acres, a large portion of which is bottom land, highly susceptible of improvement; its buildings consist of a large dwelling house containing 12 comfortable apartments and 8 fire places, and of such other buildings as are necessary for the accommodation of a farmer. This estate will be sold altogether or divided to suit purchasers.

One third of the purchase money will be required in hand, and the remainder in equal payments of 9 and 18 months.

CHARLES I. LOVE.

Clermont, near Alex'a, sep 17 thmtf

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensels and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.

September 4. GEORGE MASON.

Stop the Swindler.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

I WILL give the above reward for apprehending and lodging in any jail in the District of Columbia, a person by the name of JOHN POST, a Bricklayer and Stonemason, who has been at work for about two months past at Fort Washington, and was discharged on the 7th of September inst.—He says he was born in the state of New-York; is about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, and has sandy hair: he had with him an apprentice boy, nearly grown. A few days previous to his leaving Fort Washington he took the liberty of borrowing, in the name of Mr John Cohagen, from a lady at that place 15 dollars, which was not known till after he left it; and immediately after he was discharged and paid off, he forged two checks in the name of the Subscriber, on the Farmers' Bank of Alexandria, one of which he procured the money for at the Bank, and the other he passed to a person in Alexandria, which was detected and refused.—Previous to his coming to Fort Washington, he worked in the City of Washington, where he said he intended to work again; but it is probable he has not stopped so near the theatre of his villany.

Persons are cautioned against being imposed on by him. BOLITHA LAWS.

September 16 tf

Day & Martin's

VERY superior *Blacking Cakes*, for sale by JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

September 25 tf

Ship Timber, &c.

THE subscriber, residing on Mattawoman Creek, in Charles County, Maryland, will dispose of (standing) a large quantity of first rate White Oak Ship Timber, Wharf Logs, Timber suited for Staves, Plank, Scantling, or other purposes, in any quantity; likewise several thousand cords Oak Wood. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to apply as the terms will be moderate, and there is navigable water to the spot.

WM. MASON.

May 8 tf

Cheese, Duck, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. have just received for sale,

30 boxes best Goshen cheese
Bales Russia duck and nests Hingham [boxes
20 hhds N E Rum

September 16 2w

C. Potbury,

Professor of the French, Spanish, Portuguese and Italian Languages,

INFORMS the Ladies and Gentlemen of Alexandria, that he has commenced to teach the above languages at Mr. *Cowing's* School-Room. Terms and hours of attendance may be known by personal application to him there at 7 o'clock every evening (Thursdays and Sundays excepted).

September 2 wtf

Alexandria, August 4.

WAS committed to the jail of this Co. as a run away, a negro man, who calls himself JOHN WEAKS, and says that he was born free in Prince George Co. Maryland, that his mother's name is Sally Green, who lives near the road leading from the Alexandria Ferry to the Eastern Branch bridge, adjoining one Hen. Thompson. He was committed to this jail on the 7th May last, and then called himself William Washington, but made his escape the 16th. He is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout made. Says he is known to Mr. Daniel Moxley, and Henry Thompson, of Maryland. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.

ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor.

August 8 1aw2m

Robert Gray

RESPECTFULLY inform his friends and former customers, that he has recommenced the

Bookbinding and Stationary Business,

next door to the corner of King and Royal streets, and is prepared to execute any orders in the Bookbinding business with which he may be honored—he is also supplied on commission, with a small assortment of Stationary comprised of articles most in demand, and particularly invites the attention of juvenile customers to articles used in schools, such as Cyphering and Copy books, &c which are made of the best materials that can be procured and at the usual prices—orders from Banks or public offices for any kind of blank account books, can be executed in a style of strength and elegance equal to any in the United States. May 27

Charles County Court,

March Term. 1818.

BILL IN CHANCERY.

Robert Perry

versus

James B Dunnington, Robert Dunnington, Francis Taylor and Elizabeth B. his wife, James Bloxham and Catharine his wife, William Simmons and Esther his wife, heirs of William Dunnington.

THE Complainant alleged in his bill that the Respondents have in possession the real estate of their deceased father Wm. Dunnington, whose personal estate was not sufficient for the payment of his debts. Wm Dunnington's estate is indebted to the complainant in a large sum of money. The object of the bill is to procure a decree for the sale of the land, for the payment of the debts remaining unpaid by the personal estate. Some of the heirs of Wm. Dunnington are non-residents. It is thereupon, at motion of the Complainant, ordered that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Alexandria Gazette for the space of three months, to the intent that the absent defendants may have notice of this application, and of the subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by a solicitor, to shew cause, if any there be, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed. Teste,

JOHN BARNES, Clk.

June 27 3m

Charles County Court,

March Term. 1818.

ON application to Charles county court by petition in writing of John Smith, of Charles county, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors on oath, so far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the court being satisfied by competent testimony that the said Jno. Smith has resided two years immediately preceding the time of his application, in the state of Maryland, and being also satisfied that the said John Smith is in actual confinement for debt, and the said John Smith having entered into bond with sufficient security for his personal appearance in Charles county court, to answer such allegations as his creditors may make against him—It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the said John Smith be discharged from imprisonment; and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers edited in the District of Columbia, once a week for two months successively before the third Monday of August next, he give notice to his creditors to appear before the said Court, at Charlestown, in said county, on the said third Monday of August next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause why the said John Smith should not have the benefit of the several insolvent laws as prayed. Given under my hand this 20th day of June 1818.

Teste, JOHN BARNES, Clk.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria county, September Term, } 1818

ORDERED, That the administrators of John Violett, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for four weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.

Test, A. MOORE, Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscribers, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Violett, late of the county aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 10th day of September, 1818.

CATHARINE VIOLETT,
ROBERT G. VIOLETT,
Administrators of John Violett, dec.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, September Term, } 1818

ORDERED, That the administratrix of Archibald I. Taylor, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.

Test, A. MOORE, Register of Wills.

This is to give notice,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Archibald I. Taylor deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1818.

ELIZABETH TAYLOR,
Adm'x. of Archibald I. Taylor, dec.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, September Term, } 1818

ORDERED, That the executor of Christian Piles, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for two weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.

Test, A. MOORE, Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county letters testamentary on the estate of Christian Piles, late of the county aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1818.

LEWIS PILES,
Executor of Christian Piles, dec.

PROPOSALS,

By Gideon Fairman, John Binns and Charles S. Parker,

TO PUBLISH

A Splendid Edition of

Washington's Farewell Address.

To the People of the United States.

THE world has seen enough of warriors and of Heroes—enough of Statesmen—of men who have guided Armies in the field, or dictated as Sages in the Cabinet, for the exclusive purpose of Ambition. History from its earliest page to the present day, has offered to our contemplation, only ONE WASHINGTON, but ONE MAN, whose dangers in war, and labors in in peace, were undertaken and supported with a single eye, to the benefit of his country; whose wonderful and honorable success, was the plain result of wisdom in design, and valour in execution; whom danger never appalled, nor defeat depressed; who, persevering in the justice of his cause, wooed Victory till he won her: who covetted no reward but the well earned approbation of those whose interest he lived to promote: who renounced all public honors, when they ceased to be the necessary instruments of good to the people, whose gratitude conferred them: who superior to all Monarchs, was content to be called the American Citizen. His career of glory through life was unstained by crime; and his death was felt as a loss by every individual of that community, whose political existence was the fruit of his exertions.

THE FAREWELL ADDRESS *of General Washington* is the condensed result of long experienced, matured reflection and strong anxiety for the permanent prosperity of his country. His advice concerning the great importance of maintaining indissolubly the federal Union: the danger of indulging too much in party feelings:—the necessity of supporting public credit at home:—of maintaining public faith in all our transactions with foreign nations: of encouraging foreign intercourse free frm foreign attachments:—are so many lessons of prudence which we should do well to bear in constant remembrance. Why therefore should not his legacy of wisdom and affection, be so published, as to admit of being constantly before our eyes? An ornament to our apartments, while it serves as a memento to guide our public feelings, and to manifest that the author lives in our memories?

To make it such, is the aim of the proposed Edition.

The Publishers are determined that the Address shall be printed on paper of the same quality and size as the splendid edition of the Declaration of Independence now engraving, & shall in all respects be a companion worthy that great State paper.

As errors are known from various causes to find their way into the most important writings, the publishers feel it their duty, not only to satisfy themselves, but to satisfy the public, of the authenticity of the copy from which this splendid Edition of the Farewell Address shall be published.

MR. GEORGE BRIDPORT will complete the Design; of which the following is an outline:—The introductory part of the Address, in highly finished ornamental penmanship, shall form the upper part;—the other parts of the plate, shall be appropriate ornaments;—in the centre below shall be engraved, from an historical design for this publication by Mr. *Sully* the Surrender of the British Army at York-town, October 19, 1781.

The Address itself shall be printed with type of a peculiar and appropriate character, designed for this purpose by Mr. Fairman, and to be cut and cast by our best artists. No more of the type shall be cast than will be necessary to execute this Address; & when it shall be compleated, the type and the matrices in which it was cast shall be utterly destroyed; so that no other work shall ever be executed by the same letter which shall have printed the "FAREWELL ADDRESS" of him who lived and died, *first in War; first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.*

The paper, of the first quality, 36 by 26 inches, will be made by Mr. Amies. The INK shall be carefully prepared, and of the best materials.

The signature of General Washington from which it is proposed to execute a fac simile for this publication, is that which he affixed to the Constitution of the United States, when he signed it as President of the Convention in which it was framed; Thus associating and concentrating some of the greatest events in the life of this great man and in the history of his Country.

The ornamental writing will be designed and executed in the very best manner; the ornamental parts of the design and vignette, will be engraved by G. FAIRMAN: and the Typographical part executed by *John Binns*. They will take especial care of the execution of their several duties in this respect, and they will call to their aid, all that liberality, zeal and industry can command from the Sciences and Arts, so as to make the *"Farewell Address"* no mean specimen of the state of the Fine Arts in the United States.

As much progress has already been made in designing and procuring materials for this splended edition of Gen. Washington's *"Farewell Address,"* it is expected it will be ready for delivery, with the Splended Edition of the Declaration of Independence, in the month of December next. That the public may have a more perfect view of the design and style of execution, than can be given in a proposal, of this Tribute to the memory of him who was "a Conqueror for the Freedom of his Country! A "Legislator for its Security! A Magistrate for its Happiness," it is not intended to solicit any Subscsiptions until the Ornamental parts of the plate shall be executed. It will then be submitted for public inspection and public patronage, at five dollars a Copy, payable on the delivery of the Engraving. Philadelphia, July 31.

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For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald,

THE CONFESSION OF

JOSEPH HARE,

alias Joseph Thompson Hare,

ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS,

Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Havre-de-Grace, on the night of the 11th March last past; containing

A HISTORY OF HIS LIFE,

And detailing a series of robberies for the last 14 years, in the states of Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New-Jersey, and in Canada and the Spanish provinces, to the amount of nearly ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS!

WRITTEN BY HIMSELF,

During his imprisonment, and published from the original manuscript, now in the possession of the publisher. To which is annexed a note by the publisher, giving an account of his escape and re-apprehension.

☞ Persons at a distance can have them forwarded by mail. September 19

Day & Martin's

VERY superior *Blacking Cakes*, for sale by JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

September 25 tf

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Gisbourne's natural theology
Adams's history of all religions
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper

August 28

For Sale,

BY special appointment, Dr. Dean's genuine

Vegetable Rheumatic Pills:

So celebrated in New-England for the many remarkable cures which they have wrought, some of which are particularized in the papers of directions, where many thousand boxes are used annually to general satisfaction.

These pills are recommended by men of the first characters in the state of Massachusetts. JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

September 24 tf

District of Columbia,

County of Alexandria, ss.

ON the petition of JILSON DOVE, an insolvent debtor, confined in the jail of Alexandria county for debt—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said JILSON DOVE, that on the first Monday in October next, at the court house of said county, the oath prescribed by the act of Congress of the United States, entitled "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors within the District of Columbia," will be administered to the said Insolvent, and a trustee appointed, unless sufficient cause to the contrary be then and there shewn.—Ordered, that this notice be advertised in both papers published in Alexandria, three times a week for two weeks before the said first Monday in October next.

By order of the hon. Wm. Cranch, chief Judge of the U. States Circuit Court for the District of Columbia.

E. I. LEE, C. C.

September 15 wfm2w

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reas[illegible] charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES SANDERSON.

August 17 tf